

2 Quiz 2 MAT 1275 Professor Chiu

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- This quiz consists of 2 questions, each worth 5 points, for a total of 10 points.
- You have 10 minutes to complete the quiz.
- Show all work and justify your answers.
- Scientific calculators are allowed.
- Wishing you success.

① observation

3 counts of " $\frac{1}{10}$ "
7 counts of " $\frac{1}{6}$ " } not "same" unit

1. Combine and reduce:

② Find the "same" unit (common denominator):

fact of 10 : 10, 20, 30, 40
fact of 6 : 6, 12, 18, 24, 30

$$\frac{3}{10} - \frac{7}{6}$$

③ answer the question

$$= \frac{3 \cdot 3}{10 \cdot 3} - \frac{7 \cdot 5}{6 \cdot 5} = \frac{9}{30} - \frac{35}{30} = \frac{9 - 35}{30} = \frac{-26}{30} \left(= -\frac{2 \times 13}{2 \times 15} = -\frac{2}{2} \times \frac{13}{15} \right)$$

2. Evaluate

① Observation

• $-\frac{29}{5} = -\frac{29}{5}$

• divided by 3

⇒ multiply $\frac{1}{3}$

• $-\frac{4}{-3}$ to the opposite

$= -(-\frac{4}{3}) = +\frac{4}{3}$ (to the right)

to the left

② answer

$$-\frac{29}{5} \div 3 - \frac{4}{-3}$$

$$= -\frac{29}{5} \times \frac{1}{3} + \frac{4}{3}$$

$$= -\frac{29 \times 1}{5 \times 3} + \frac{4}{3}$$

$$= -\frac{29 \times 1}{5 \times 3} + \frac{4 \times 5}{3 \times 5}$$

common denominator

$$= -\frac{29}{15} + \frac{20}{15} = \frac{-29 + 20}{15} = \frac{-9}{15}$$

$$\left(= -\frac{3 \times 3}{3 \times 5} = -\frac{3}{5} \right)$$